



**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT  
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE  
FINAL DETERMINATION OF  
NON-SIGNIFICANCE**

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State of Washington

**DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

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**DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

**Name of Proposal:** BEAR LAKE CHANNEL CATFISH STOCKING

**Description of Proposal:** The proponent plans on stocking 1,000 to 1,500 channel catfish, between 10 and 12 inches in length, into Bear Lake. If the stocking is successful, other stockings in the future may occur.

**Proponent:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Fish Program, 8702 North Division Street, Spokane, Washington 99218-1199. Contact Person, Chris Donley.

**Location of Proposal, including street, if any:** Bear Lake, 2.5 Miles North of Chatteroy, Washington, Spokane County; Section 15, Township 28 North, Range 43 East WM

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date of issue below. Comments must be submitted by: **June 12, 2003**

**Responsible Official:** Cynthia R. Pratt

**Position/Title:** SEPA/NEPA Coordinator, Regulatory Services Section

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**e-mail:** habitatSEPA@dfw.wa.gov if you have questions or comments about this determination.

**DATE OF ISSUE:** May 29, 2003 **SIGNATURE:**

A handwritten signature in purple ink, reading "Cynthia R. Pratt", written over a horizontal line.